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For: **NEGATIVE ELECTRODE FOR LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY AND LITHIUM
SECONDARY BATTERY COMPRISING SAME**

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention that although the shortened statutory period for reply noted on the Office Action is set to expire 3 months from the mailing of the Office Action, the period for reply maybe should have indicated 30 days.

However, this is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2005 having a shortened period for response set to expire on March 23, 2006, the following remarks are provided.